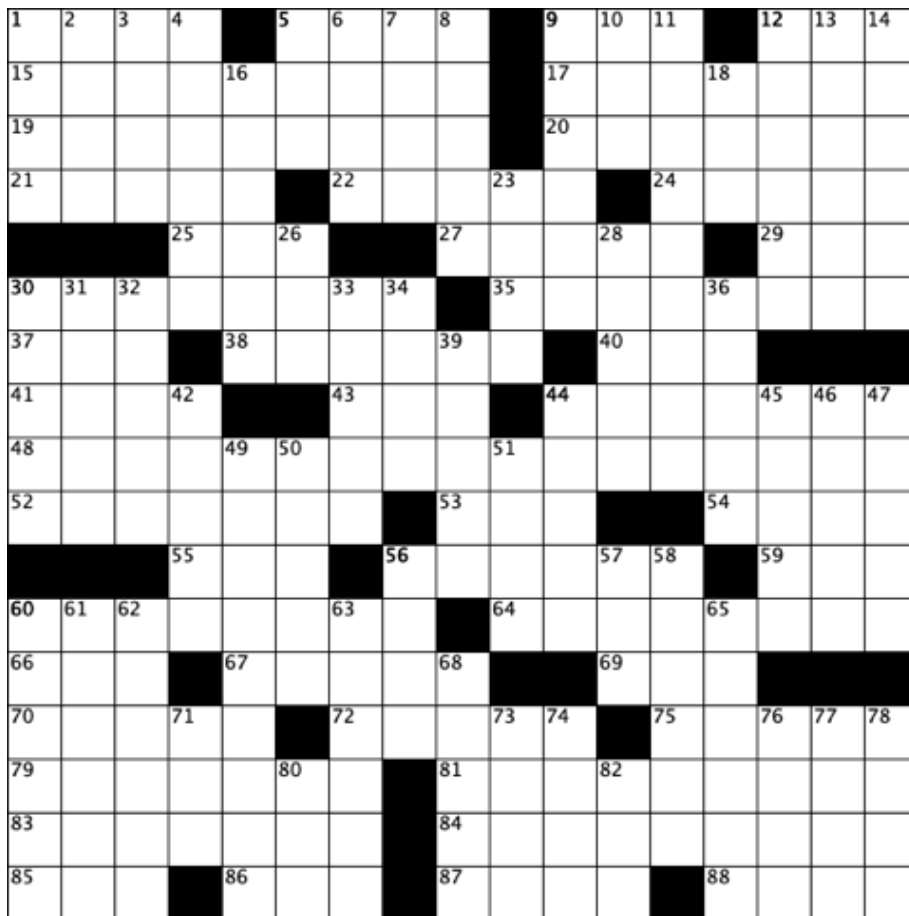


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The historic game didn't attract much attention back then — September 1, 1971 — but it was the first time a Major League team put together an all-black starting lineup. When the players themselves noticed, one quipped, "We got all brothers out there, man," chuckled and got on with winning the game.



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1 Forearm bone
5 Smoothie berry
9 Bygone
12 Mrs. in Madrid
15 Most sharply tapered
17 Lifted
19 *The starting pitcher for 48-Across at a historic game September 1, 1971*
20 Watch closely
21 Some German autos
22 "Thus ___ the Lord"
24 Lag behind
25 Windy City trains
27 Tennis star Osaka or singer Judd
29 "The Waste Land" monogram
30 *Manager Danny __, who put together the history-making lineup*
35 *The team, familiarly, defeated by 48-Across that day*
37 Dream Team jersey letters
38 Scornful smiles
40 __-mo
41 Provides staff for
43 Scottish negative
44 Gwen of "No Doubt" and "The Voice"
48 *They fielded the first all-black/Latino starting lineup in Major League Baseball history on September 1, 1971*
52 They might keep you awake
53 Trailblazing ISP
54 Bits of advice
55 Ocean State sch.
56 White mouse, e.g.
59 West of Hollywood

60 *48-Across's Roberto in right field*
64 *48-Across's Willie in left field*
66 "Sweetie"
67 Moves toward
69 "Cool" chunk of money
70 Trump's ex
72 Natural bath sponge
75 Sides in a turf war
79 Update, in a way
81 *The team 48-Across went on to defeat in the 1971 World Series*
83 One with a mentor
84 Designed for comfort in the workplace
85 Pre-1991 map letters
86 Palme __ (French film award)
87 Paper quantity
88 Landlord's collection

DOWN

1 High-rise coif
2 Stunt flier's stunt
3 "Good one!"
4 Short sock
5 Feel lousy
6 Cartoon studio souvenirs
7 Pakistan's place
8 "___ the bag!"
9 "Call on me! Call on me!"
10 Toss with a high arc
11 Liquor maker
12 Low-hanging clouds
13 Correct, as text
14 "Rolling in the Deep" singer and others
16 Some electric cars
18 Preacher's msg.
23 Nightly bugle call
26 Early morning riser

28 El __: Peruvian volcano
30 Childhood malady with swelling
31 Olympian Bolt
32 Made a dash for
33 Canis, for dogs
34 Catch wind of
36 Relative of "lite"
39 Fit for a queen
42 Pull some strings?
44 Divided
45 "Once upon ___..."
46 Sherpa's country
47 Denver Nuggets Hall-of-Famer Dan
49 Sang to the balcony?
50 Pickling solution
51 Fireplace shelves
56 Dynamic start?
57 '60s war zone
58 Starting point
60 Cricket sounds
61 Romeo and Juliet, e.g.
62 Captivate
63 Everest, vis-à-vis K2
65 Star quality
68 Like a teetotaler
71 Word repeated after "waste" and "want"
73 Taxi charge
74 Bit of pond scum
76 Iditarod terminus
77 React to amusement, say
78 Shakers or Quakers
80 Sense of self
82 Brady or Cruise

